IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No.: 101256.02 OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC P.O. Box 19928 Date: August 25, 2003 Alexandria, Virginia 22320 Telephone: (703) 836-6400 Facsimile: (703) 836-2787 MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION 27074 Customer Number: **CONTINUING APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE 1.53(b)** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a □ Divisional Continuation-in-Part Continuation application of prior pending Application No. 09/219,850, filed December 23, 1998, SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DIRECTED ACUITY SEGMENTATION RESOLUTION For (Title): COMPRESSION AND DECOMPRESSION Douglas N. CURRY By (Inventors): \boxtimes A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached. The attached Declaration and Power of Attorney is: A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney from the parent application. (Used with the same or fewer inventors and (a) a copy of the prior application or (b) a revised, reformatted or edited version of the prior application that does not contain new matter.) A new Declaration and Power of Attorney. (Used with the same, fewer or additional inventors Ш and (a) a copy of the prior application, (b) a revised, reformatted or edited version of the prior

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- 4. Application Data Sheet is attached.

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5.	\boxtimes	Formal drawings (Figs. 1-28						
		Use Figure for front p	page of Publication.					
6.		Priority of foreign application(s) No filed in is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and/or §365(b).						
		The certified copy was filed	in prior Application No.	on				
		A certified copy of the above foreign application(s) is filed herewith.						
7.		Priority of U.S. Provisional Application(s) No filed is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.						
		(A Preliminary Amendment is attached to reflect the claim of benefit in the specification if not already present.)						
8.	\boxtimes	The prior application is assigned of record to <u>Xerox Corporation</u> , <u>Stamford</u> , <u>U.S.A.</u> and recorded at Reel <u>9676</u> , Frame <u>0946</u> .						
9.		This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application (37 C.F.R §1.53(b)(1)). Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application:						
10.		A Preliminary Amendment is attached. The Preliminary Amendment amends the specification to reflect the continuation data. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the application and claims canceled are identified in the listing of claims.						
11.	\boxtimes	An Information Disclosure Statement is attached.						
12.		This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.						
13.	\boxtimes	The power of attorney in the application is to:						
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14.	\boxtimes	Power of Attorney is also attached. Address all future communications to:						
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